Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 31 Jan 2023 until 23:59 on Wednesday 01 Feb 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 31 Jan 2023 at 02:30

Confidence: High for soon becoming dry with sunny spells on Tuesday. Also high for the change to cloudier, milder conditions from Wednesday.

Headline for Tuesday 31 Jan 2023: Early cloud and rain clearing. Then dry with sunny spells. Strong westerly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 31 Jan 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
70%	10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Cloudy start with outbreaks of mainly light rain spreading southeast. Rain soon clearing with cloud breaking, to leave a dry and bright day with some good spells of sunshine. Remaining dry through the evening with lengthening clear spells.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Near 0% at first, but soon rising to 90%

Low cloud and visibility: Persistent cloud obscuring hills above 400m at first, but soon lifting to leave only small amounts below summit level. Otherwise largely good to very good views, although visibility will fall to several kilometres in early rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	25/32 W	22/29 W	21/29 NW	22/30 NW	20/27 W	19/28 W	22/33 W
300	14/30 W	12/26 W	11/23 W	13/25 W	10/22 W	11/25 W	14/32 W
Valley	12/29 W	9/23 W	12/23 W	13/26 W	9/21 W	8/21 W	11/27 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-1	5/-0	4/-2	3/-3	2/-3	2/-4	2/-4
300	7/3	7/4	6/3	6/2	5/1	4/0	4/-1
Valley	8/4	8/5	7/4	7/3	5/2	5/2	4/1
Freezing Level*	1700m	1200m	900m	700m	800m	800m	800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Gusts of around 50mph possible over the highest points, especially at first and again later. Increasing chill effect.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Tue 31 Jan 2023	0.4mm	2.8mm	2.8mm

Forecast for Wednesday 01 Feb 2023

Weather: Dry overnight with long clear spells. Then mainly dry and bright day with some sunny spells, the best of these in the east. Cloud will increase across western hills, however, perhaps bringing a few spots of drizzle.

Maximum wind: Westerly 25-30mph, gusting 50mph, decreasing to 15-20mph through the afternoon.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: Close to 100% at first, falling to 40% in the west.

Low cloud and visibility: Little or no cloud below the summits at first and more generally across eastern hills. Cloud thickening and descending onto some hills above 600m through the afternoon.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 2 Celsius rising to Plus 10 Celsius.
At 600m: Plus 1 Celsius rising to Plus 5 Celsius
Freezing level: Around 800m, soon rising above the summits

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